IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

LEON WEINGRAD, : CIVIL ACTION

individually and on behalf of others

similarly situated, :

Plaintiff, : NO. 25-1843

EXACT CARE PHARMACY, LLC,

Defendant.

SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE ORDER

A settlement conference will be held via ZOOM on <u>Friday</u>, <u>August 8</u>, <u>2025 at 10:00</u> <u>A.M.</u> before the Honorable Caroline Goldner Cinquanto, United States Magistrate Judge, United States Courthouse, 601 Market Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. A link will be provided to counsel prior to the conference.

BEFORE THE CONFERENCE:

- Plaintiff(s) must make a precise and specific written settlement demand, inclusive of all attorney's fees, costs, and damages, on or before **July 18, 2025**.
- Defendant(s) must make a precise and specific written settlement offer on or before **July 25, 2025**.
- Counsel for all parties must submit the attached summary and their confidential case synopsis to Chambers_of_Magistrate_Judge_Goldner_Cinquanto@paed.uscourts.gov on or before July 25, 2025. The synopsis should be no more than five (5) pages in length, single spaced.
- The synopsis may attach key summary expert reports, policy language excerpts, photographs, sketches, diagrams, charts, etc. Only attach excerpts which are most relevant to the claims at issue. Relevant portions must be delineated. Attachments should be no more than thirty (30) pages and should be separated with labeled divider pages Judge Goldner Cinquanto may require hard copies of lengthy materials.
- <u>If settlement is not a real possibility</u> (*e.g.*, if defendant will not make an offer or will offer only nuisance value), counsel shall notify the

- Court (jointly or individually) to request a brief video conference regarding their status on or before <u>August 1, 2025</u>.
- If jointly requested by counsel, Judge Goldner Cinquanto is available for *ex-parte* telephone or Zoom conferences before the settlement conference. Please contact chambers to arrange a pre-conference call.

AT THE CONFERENCE:

• Judge Goldner Cinquanto requires a principal for each party with an interest in the case who has full and complete settlement authority (*i.e.*, authority consistent with the most recent demand) to be present (either on the Zoom, or in person, as applicable) for the entire duration of the conference. If a party requires approval by an insurer to settle, a representative of the insurer with full and complete settlement authority consistent with the most recent demand must be present in addition to the relevant party principal.¹

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Caroline Goldner Cinquanto
HON. CAROLINE GOLDNER CINQUANTO
United States Magistrate Judge
Eastern District of Pennsylvania

Date: June 9, 2025

a need to reconvene.

¹ Having a client with settlement authority available by telephone is not an acceptable alternative unless compelling circumstances exist and there is prior approval from Judge Goldner Cinquanto. If a conference must be adjourned or continued to allow a party to obtain additional authority up to the most recent demand, that party may incur sanctions, including, but not limited to, payment of the opposing party's attorney's fees resulting from

SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE SUMMARY²

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ATTACH CASE SYNOPSIS (The synopsis will include a candid discussion of the submitting party's factual and legal strengths and weaknesses in the case as well as an offer/demand settlement proposal and IS STRICTLY LIMITED TO NO MORE THAN FIVE (5) PAGES SINGLE SPACED.)

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² Counsel shall familiarize themselves with Judge Goldner Cinquanto's policies and procedures at https://www.paed.uscourts.gov/judges-info/magistrate-judges/caroline-goldner_cinquanto.